

HEIRS OF ELIZABETH YANCY, WIDOW OF JOHN YANCY.

[To accompany Bill H. R. No. 778.]

MAY 25, 1860.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. JUNKIN, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, made the following

REPORT.

The Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of Elizabeth Yancy, widow of John Yancy, a soldier of the revolution, report:

That said Elizabeth was the widow of John Yancy, and was married to him in December, 1777; that said Yancy served in the war of the revolution not less than three years, part of this time as a private and a part as a quartermaster. It is impossible to say how long he served in each capacity, and it is somewhat doubtful that he ever acted as quartermaster, though there is evidence that a man of the same name did so serve.

The widow applied for a pension, under the act of 1836, as early as 1839, but from the doubt as to his services as quartermaster, the Pension office suspended the decision of the case. The committee allow a pension to the widow of \$80 per annum since the 11th December, 1839, to the period of her decease, to wit: the 19th December, 1848, amounting to \$720, and that this sum be paid to Jane C. Smith and Mary Franklin, the heirs and legal representatives of said Elizabeth Yancy, deceased, she having, until her decease, remained the widow of said John Yancy, the revolutionary soldier, and report a bill accordingly, with the recommendation that it do pass.

HILLS OF ELIZABETH YANCY, WIDOW OF JOHN YANCY

Report of the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions

March 25, 1875—Ordered to be printed

Mr. JAMES, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, reads the following

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The widow applied for a pension, under the act of 1836, as early as 1837, but from the doubt as to his service as quartermaster, the Pension Office suspended the decision of the case. The committee allow a pension to the widow of \$40 per annum since the 11th December, 1837, to the period of her husband's death; the last Pension Act, 1845, amounting to \$750, and that this sum be paid to Jane C. Smith and Mary Franklin, the heirs and legal representatives of said Elizabeth Yancy, deceased; she having, until her decease, remained the widow of said John Yancy, the revolutionary soldier, and report a bill accordingly, with the recommendation that it do pass.